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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 TO
NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED APRIL 21, 2004**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits the following remarks and amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon. The amendments are formatted and presented in accordance with the Revised Format for Amendments promulgated earlier in 2003 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

As the three-month shortened statutory period for reply is due July 21, 2004, this Response is therefore considered timely filed.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 2-4 and 16-18 without prejudice to file same in a continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part or co-pending application.